

# CONGRESSMAN BURNED TO DEATH

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WEATHER.—Oakland and vicinity—Unsettled weather, with showers tonight and Wednesday.

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## CONGRESSMAN DE ARMOND IS BURNED TO DEATH

Grandson of the Prominent  
Democratic Member  
Also Perishes

WIFE AND THREE OTHER  
WOMEN MAKE ESCAPE

Lives Are Lost in Fire Which  
Destroys Home of the  
Representative

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 23.—The bodies of Congressman De Armond and his grandson, Wadille, who were burned to death in their home in Butler early today, were found in the ruins of the house this afternoon. The bodies were lying side by side. Congressman De Armond evidently had been carrying his grandson when death overtook him.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 23.—Representative De Armond, one of the leading Democratic members of Congress, and his grandson, Wadille De Armond, aged 6 years, were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the De Armond home at Butler, Mo., early today.

Bones believed to be those of the Congressman were found by searchers in the ruins this morning. It is believed both the Congressman and the boy were burned to death without being able to leave their rooms.

The other occupants of the house at the time of the fire escaped. They are Mrs. De Armond and Mrs. Hattie Clark, wife and daughter, respectively, of the Congressman, and a woman servant.

Mrs. Clark believes that her father sacrificed his life in an effort to save his grandson. She thinks that Congressman De Armond was aroused in time to save himself, but that in awakening and attempting to carry him from danger, he became confused in the smoke and was overcome. The cause of the fire is unknown.

EARLY MORNING FIRE.—The fire started about 4 o'clock in the morning. The De Armond home was a large two-story frame structure, well set back from the street. On two sides of the house, equal with the second floors, four rooms or outdoor sleeping apartments had been constructed, and at the time the fire broke out the occupants of the house occupied these rooms.

Congressman De Armond and his young grandson were in a room on the south side of the building, while Mrs. De Armond and Mrs. Clark had separate rooms on the opposite side of the house. Nettie Boles, 20 years of age, a servant, had a room on the west end of the house. Mrs. Clark

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## PRETTY WOMAN'S LINGERIE INSPIRES LOVER'S PRAISE

Tells Wife About It, and So Her Suspicions  
Are Aroused and She Confides in  
Other Woman's Husband

Because E. H. Kueffer could not restrain his admiration for the pretty new clothes worn by Mrs. Summerville, and was so indignant as to dwell upon their elegance to his wife lead to the discovery of his infatuation for the electrical engineer's spouse.

Mrs. Kueffer, according to Summerville's statement under cross-examination before Judge Wells in the divorce proceedings this morning, had her suspicions aroused that his knowledge of that character of clothing worn by the other woman did not enter into the contract and building business and she communicated her worst fears to Mr. Summerville over the telephone of her husband's admiration for his wife's under-wear which caused him to entertain suspicion that his better half was not very discreet in her relations with the contractor.

He thought of the lure of the Hunters Inn for such couples and asking in the name of "Stewart" an automobile owner one of the employees of the place gladly informed him that Kueffer was there with a pretty woman.

JERRY BLABBED.

The description of the woman furnished by "Jerry," the man at the Hunters Inn end of the telephone wire, that of his wife. On that occasion he remained away several days and on

turned with fire in her eye and a desire for a long stay.

In the severe cross-examination conducted by Attorney Kueffer for the wife, the witness evinced a vivid recollection of the minute details of every affair in which his wife was the transgressor, but in events where he figured in a questionable light his memory was at fault. He passed a very unhappy morning of it in straitening out some of the tangles of testimony, in which discrepancies had been found in his direct story, and his recites under cross-examination. In telling of the dish-throwing episode, he claimed fourteen or fifteen teapots, cups and saucers had been broken, and that three of them had struck him. He declared that he still took it all. However, he could not explain how, according to his diagram of the floor plan of their residence by Attorney Carroll Cook, representing the New California Jockey Club, the arrest of the two men was not determined upon by the Jockey Club and the authorities as a test case. The arrests were made because Sheriff Barnet and his deputies believed that the law was being violated.

CLUNG TO BED.

He said with the exception of the first four months of their married life his wife had been in bed every morning until 11 a.m.

He confessed that despite her dissolute habits and being addicted to drink, he had continued to live with her and continued with her until March 1, 1909, the day upon which Mrs. Summerville claims she was so badly beaten by him, as which furnishes the ground upon which she instituted her claim for divorce.

According to the witness' account of it, she was put out "on times" about one or four weeks, and sometimes she would go out on such expeditions—every other day for a week.

## BOOKMAKERS DISMISSED; WILL BE RE-ARRESTED

Pair Accused of Violations of Anti-Betting  
Law to Be Given Hearing Before  
Police Judge Samuels

The constitutionality of the anti-betting law is to be determined at once in the highest court. E. T. Martin, known around the race track as "1-2-3" Martin, and Charles Zelinsky, who were arrested yesterday at the race track in Emeryville by Sheriff Barnet, were dismissed from custody this afternoon by Justice of the Peace Coburn at Emeryville. Both men were charged with having received money in connection with a wager on Rose Cherry in one of the races yesterday afternoon.

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"If we can win this case," said Carroll Cook, attorney for the Jockey Club, "and convince the Sheriff and District Attorney of Alameda county that neither Mr. Martin nor Mr. Brown was guilty of any violation of the Walker-Otis anti-betting law, patrons of the race-track may rest assured that there will be little or no interference during the balance of the season. The California Jockey Club is not attempting to aid orabet gambling, but will protect the patrons from unfair prosecution at the hands of the Alameda county or State

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**She Can Eat Pie Now.**  
A lady recently visited a friend in Kene, N. H., whose husband was very delicate, and yet she noticed that he could eat all the pie he wanted. She began to wonder how it was that he could do it, when she had to give up this delicacy because of disagreeable after effects. She writes as follows:

"I found it was because the pies were made with Cottolene, and as I am a great lover of pie, I began using Cottolene. I have never had a cold in the house since that time. I now enjoy my pie, as it does not give heart-burn as formerly."

Cottolene makes crisp, flaky, "digestible" pie-crust, that tastes good, and does good—lard does you harm.

## CONGRESSMAN IS BURNED TO DEATH

Gives Up His Life Trying to Save Grandson From the Flames

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was awakened by a cry, and going to the door saw smoke issuing from the part of the house where Congressman De Armond and Waddie slept.

"Get me out of here!" she heard Waddie say.

With mind, said, "I'll save you," Congressman De Armond answered.

These were the last words either of the victims uttered.

### WOMAN GIVES ALARM.

A moment later the smoke increased in great volume and Mrs. Clark fled downstairs to the phone. Within a minute she had given the alarm to the telephone office and hurried back to the room of her mother.

By this time the entire second floor was clouded with smoke and flames were leaping from the windows.

Grasping her way to Mrs. De Armond's bedside, she hurriedly awakened the congressman's wife and dragged her back to the room of her mother.

There was no time to aid the others. Dragging her mother down the stairway, the younger woman with difficulty succeeded in reaching the congressman's room and opening it. The two had scarcely reached the door when De Armond fainted and it was necessary to carry her from the scene to save her from the flames.

Mrs. Clark had one of her hands severely burned, but maintained her composure and helped to administer to her mother.

The home of Congressman De Armond was situated across the street from that of James De Armond, one of his three sons, and father of the boy burned to death.

### TRIES TO SAVE FATHER.

By the time Mrs. Clark and her mother had reached a safe place, neighbors and the firemen were gathering. The flames by this time entirely enveloped the big house, shooting from the windows, and to have entered the building would have been certain death.

James De Armond, however, dashed for the front door, frantic in his effort to save his father and the boy. He had already been lost in a cloud of smoke before neighbors could get to him and prevent his entering the house.

James then was dragged to the ground by people who refused to let him sacrifice himself.

No cry came from the burning house, and it was evident Congressman De Armond and Waddie had been overcome. In fifteen minutes more the house had been consumed.

Nettie Boles, the maid, it developed later, had been one of the first to escape. She was unburnt, but too frightened to comprehend the situation, and had fled from the scene.

### PIXE BOXES IN RUINS.

Search of the ruins at daylight revealed no tangible trace of the two victims. What was believed to be the bones of Congressman De Armond were located, but they crumbled quickly.

Mr. De Armond was cared for at a neighbor's house. She recovered from her fainting condition and today bore the situation with fortitude.

The financial loss is placed at \$20,000, and includes one of the best libraries in the state.

Congressman De Armond had three sons and a daughter. James A. De Armond is the only son in the west. He is editor of the Butler Democrat and was adjutant general on the staff of Governor Joseph W. Folk. "Waddie" De Armond was the son of James A. De Armond. His right

Only One "BROMO QUININE," that is Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day. Grip in 2 Days

## At the Age of Sixty

ninety-five per cent of men are dependent upon their daily earnings, or upon their children for support, according to the best statistics.

This is largely because they have not learned the value of systematic saving while young. Parents who instill habits of thrift into the minds of their children will leave them a legacy more valuable than dollars and cents. A savings account opened in the child's name, which he can take pleasure in watching grow, is the surest way to develop this habit.

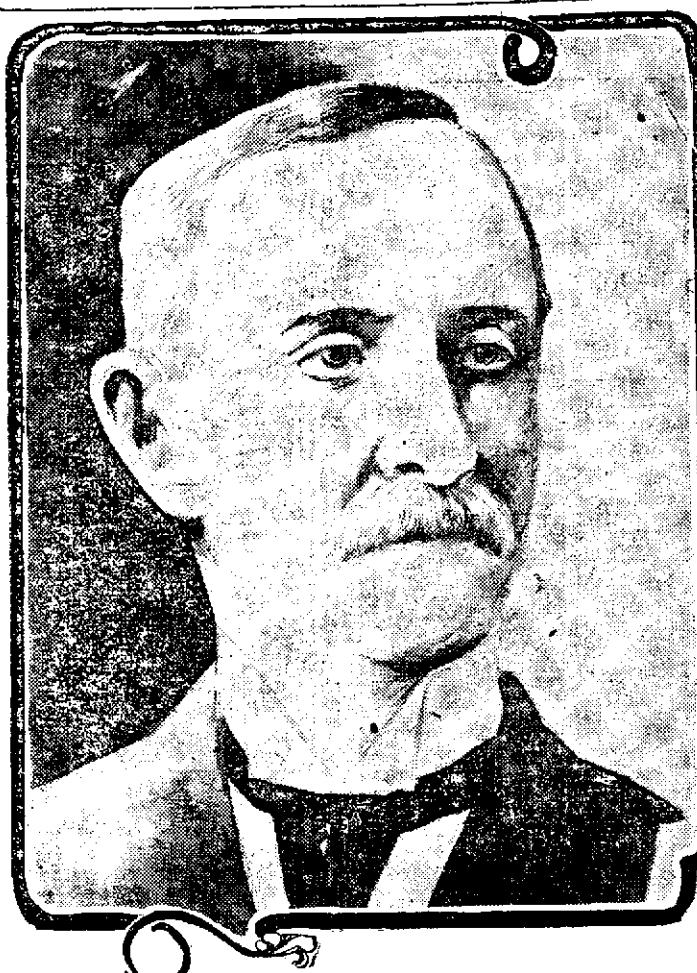
One Dollar is enough to open an account Interest paid at 4% per annum

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## Prominent Politician Meets End in Fire



CONGRESSMAN DAVID A. DE ARMOND, Who Was Burned to Death.

name was David A. He was named after his grandfather and was the latter's favorite grandchild.

### FAVORITE WITH GRANDFATHER.

The boy frequently remained at the home of his grandparents, always occupying a bed with the Congressman.

Congressman De Armond's other sons are Edward H., an instructor at West Point, and Lieutenant George W. De Armond, now serving with the army in the Philippines.

A brother of the Congressman, William De Armond, lives in Chicago. A second brother, J. A. De Armond, lives in Davenport, Iowa.

Mrs. Hattie Clark, the daughter, is Democratic member.

### NOTED DEMOCRAT.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—In Mr. De Armond the Democratic has one of their leaders on the door of the House. A member of that body for the last nineteen years and a man of education and wide experience and fluent speech, he had become one of the principal resources of his party in all discussions of national questions. He made a specialty of labor subjects, but was never at a loss in handling almost any question. His entry into Congress was in 1891.

## ANTI-BETTING LAW WILL BE TESTED

Two Bookmakers Are Released But Will Be Again Under Arrest

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officials. We will see what is done in the Martin-Zelinsky case."

At the district attorney's office this afternoon it was stated that warrants would be issued immediately by Police Judge Samuels against both Martin and Zelinsky, charging them with violation of the anti-betting laws, and that their arraignment after arrest would be before Judge Samuels of the police court at 11 o'clock. The charges technically are that the prisoners made an agreement to "make books."

Chief Deputy District Attorney Phil M. Carey said this afternoon that the purpose of the District Attorney's office in dismissing the complaints filed against the accused bookmakers is to Emeryville and filing new complaints against them in Oakland, to insure a thorough and impartial investigation of the charges.

While he did not intimate any bias on the part of the Emeryville magistrates,

he said that the atmosphere of the race track village might tend to influence the cases in favor of the defendants. Therefore the District Attorney has decided to have the charges heard on neutral ground.

## GENERAL WOOD WANTS NEW LAW FOR ARMY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Ostensibly of army officers to a radical degree was recommended to the War Department today by General Leonard Wood, in command of the Department of the East. He wants an elimination law enacted so that officers and the grade of captain will attain a date of at least 12 years younger than at present.

"Our present system," said General Wood, "results generally in the best years of a man's life being spent in a subordinate position."

He recommended the re-establishment of the army canteen.

## FIVE BUCKET SHOP MEN ARE INDICTED

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 22.—The county grand jury yesterday indicted five brokers, accusing each of conducting a bucket shop. This makes eight since the crusade began last week.

YOU'LL NOT BE ASHAMED OF the company you are in at the Saddle Rock, Thanksgiving. A fine dinner, including wine, served for \$1.50, from 11 a. m. to 8 p. m. Splendid music, pleasant environment, good eating and Franklin.

Alteration Sale—extensive reduction in fine millinery. S. F. Conniff, 468 13th st.

## ALMA BELL'S LOVE LETTERS ARE READ

Evidence is Completed and Arguments Are Now Being Made

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lumber handler whose wife was among the curious crowd of women occupying seats outside the counsel rail. Mrs. Regan flushed and very much embarrassed, submitted to the command of her lord and master and with a last reluctant glance at the girlish prisoner departed from the scene of strife. The evident penchant of many of the mountain women for the more sensational portion of the case is a noticeable feature of the trial and daily the dinner hour appears to be neglected while housewives linger in the vicinity of the judge's bench with ears strained for the latest hit of scandal.

### DEFENSE CLOSES.

The defense closed its case in chief on the testimony of the doctors and the prosecution commenced their rebuttal at night session of court convened by Judge Arnott at 7:30 o'clock. The alleged insanity of the defendant was attacked by Prosecutor Hamilton with expert testimony.

R. F. Rooney, who attracted considerable attention during the trial of Adolph Webber for the opinions he delivered on the boy murderer, declared that he had known Pike Bell, father of the defendant, for many years.

"Bell was a big, lusty, exuberant man," he declared on the stand, "and had no nervous disorders to endow a daughter with."

Dr. J. F. White, who has been the family physician of the Bells, said he always considered Alma as a sound, healthy girl, and that he had never observed any neurotic tendencies in her.

### SANE AND NORMAL.

Postmaster A. T. Fleming explained that he had known Alma since she was a mischievous girl in short dresses and had always regarded her as sane and normal.

Miss M. B. Granger of Placerville, wife of a tutor of James Earl Richardson, took the stand and testified that Richardson had not been in Auburn between May 2d and 15th. It was Richardson who appeared as an unexpected witness for the defense when the attorneys for Alma Bell opened their case last Friday, and testified that John Neves had told him that he and Alma were now under arrest and engaged to be married.

The young man is a student at the Western Normal school at Stockton. He testified on the stand that he had been on a hunting trip in Placer county and had run into Joe Armes accidentally last May near the railroad station here.

### THREATENS ARREST.

Three other witnesses were produced by the prosecution and swore that Joe Armes was working at Newcastle between May 2d and 15th and had not been in Auburn during that time.

"We have conclusively proved by these witnesses," announced District Attorney Tuttle, "that the testimony of Richardson cannot be disregarded upon. We shall endeavor to have him arrested for perjury tomorrow."

Miss Neves, innkeeper and man of affairs in the Portuguese colony, took the stand and testified to the telephone conversation he had with Alma Bell two nights before she disappeared from the Armes ranch with Joe Ruth. This conversation has been a point in issue between the attorneys of the defense and the prosecution throughout the progress of the trial.

Neves is a small, wizened-faced foreigner with closely cropped black hair.

### CALLS HIM GOSPI.

Alma Bell says he is a gossip, and she holds him responsible for the last fight she had with her lover. Her story has been that the night she rang up Neves on the telephone she told him she wanted Ben Kennison to have some ice sent to the Armes ranch for Mamie Armes, who was then very ill. The prosecution maintains, on the other hand, that she rang Neves up for the purpose of making an appointment with Kennison.

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REPEATS MESSAGE.

"Well, Ben Kennison will be ready for him at 7 o'clock tonight," was what the girl really said, according to Neves.

Shortly afterwards, it developed, Joe Ruth called in a buggy at the Armes ranch and told Alma Bell that her old mother was ill at Rock Creek and wanted to see her. The girl left the Armes place without a word, after a talk she had with Mrs. Mary Armes, mother of the dead man. She had not been far along the road when she had a talk with Ruth when he confided to her that her mother was not ill and that he had called simply to take her out driving.

Alma Bell herself gave this version of the ride while she was on the stand. She became vexed with Ruth at having deceived her, she said, and they were driving along the road when the horse stumbled over a barbed-wire fence, and fell. Ruth drove him into Auburn, where he left her saying that he would have to care for the injured animal at a livery stable.

### MET KENNISON.

The girl then admits having met Ben Kennison, whose name, according to Neves, had been mentioned by her over the telephone from the Armes ranch. Kennison provided her with a room in the Kennison building, she testified, and she remained there Thursday night, leaving her mother's home at Rock Creek the

## Catarrh

### Invites Consumption

It weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs, and causes down the general health.

It often causes headache and diarrhea, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, and affects the voice.

Being a constitutional disease it requires a constitutional remedy.

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

Radically and permanently cured. In liquid form or in chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.

following morning. This was Friday.

Saturday evening she returned to the Armes ranch, where she met Joe Armes, Mamie Foster, Mrs. Foster and other persons seated on the porch. All of them returned gruff answers when she greeted them, she said, and she then went inside and asked her lover's mother to explain the trouble. Mrs. Armes refused to talk with her and she then spilt the wine and left the ranch, refusing to sit down with the family at supper, which they eat just before her departure.

IN VINE THE RANCH.

The little sister of the man now dead told her that Mrs. Armes was very much vexed because Alma had used her name in telephoning to Manuel Neves about the appointment she was making with Ben Kennison.

Shortly afterwards she packed her valise and left the ranch, refusing to sit down with the family at supper, which they eat just before her departure.

In less than two hours she had

arrived with Joe Armes on the lonely Ophir road that resulted in his death.

Whoever may be right and whoever may be wrong, there appears to be no

doubt from the testimony ad-

duced that the trouble between the girl and her sweetheart would never have taken place had Manuel Neves kept to himself the message she sent him over the wire.

Click Albright, the Grass Valley

man, whom the prosecution claims

was one of the affinities of the young

widower, was the center of attraction when called as a witness last night.

### PROVES DISAPPOINTMENT.

Much was expected of Albright by the prosecution, but he turned out a surprising disappointment.

"Did you know Alma Bell at any time from August, 1906, to June, 1907?" asked Hamilton.

"I did," answered the witness.

"Were you ever engaged to her during that period?"

"I was not," he declared, em-

phatically.

"What?" gasped the prosecutor.

Albright started to explain, but the defense argued that he had answered the question.

"We object to that as being

irrelevant, immaterial and in-

competent," interrupted Attorney Chamberlain. Judge Arnott sustained the objection, but Hamilton went after an answer by another route.</

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Here is a home-made remedy that overcomes an obstinate cough quicker than any costly medicine you could buy. Any woman can easily make it in five minutes: Granulated Sugar Syrup--13 $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. Pineapple. Cut the "piney" in a clean pint bottle and fill up with the syrup, made as follows. Take a pint of Granulated Sugar, add  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint of warm water and stir for about 2 minutes. Strain it through a strainer every one, two or three hours. It tastes pleasant--children like it.

This simple medicine is also splendid for colds, whooping cough, bronchitis, pleurisy, consumption, chest pains, etc.

Strained honey can be used instead of the syrup, and makes a very fine honey and pine tar cough syrup.

**Theodore Roosevelt To Rudolph Spreckels**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Publicity was given today to a dispatch which it is said Rudolph Spreckels received from Theodore Roosevelt yesterday. It says: "Idiomasino, Africa, Nov. 19, 1909. Rudolph Spreckels, San Francisco. Happy man whom all good Americans delight to honor. Warmly hope he was elected. His rendered inestimable services to national government. ROOSEVELT."

**DEATH IN OAKLAND OF SAN LEANDRO RESIDENT**

SAN LEANDRO, Nov. 23.—Word was received here yesterday by J. W. Bulen of the death of Mrs. John Olive, an old resident of this city. Mrs. Olive passed away Sunday at her home on Telegraph Avenue in Oakland. She has been a frequent visitor to the city since moving to Oakland and her many friends here will be extremely grieved to hear of her death. The deceased was 70 years of age. She leaves two married daughters to mourn her loss. Her husband preceded her to the great beyond several years ago.

The funeral will be held from her home in Oakland Wednesday, November 24th, interment to take place in the Odd Fellows' Cemetery of San Francisco, where she will be placed beside her husband, who was a prominent member of that order.

**MASS MEETING TO FIX SITE OF SCHOOL HOUSE**

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—A mass meeting is to be called this week for the purpose of discussing the proposed location of a school for the purchase of a site and the erection of a modern grammar school building. Sentiment is divided in regard to the location, and an endeavor will be made to find a site favored by all.

**RAILROAD SENDS MAYOR PANELS OF CALIFORNIA**

ATLANTA, Nov. 23.—Mayor Novy has received from the Southern Pacific railroad several handsome pictures and panels of California scenery, typical of the beauty of the state, and is having them hung in his office in the city hall. The pictures depict the following scenes of the Sierra Nevada Valley, the trees, Mount Shasta, Granite Falls, Cathedral Rocks and El Capitan.

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One-half oz. of fluid extract Balmwort, one ounce; compound syrup Sparaxis, two ounces; mix in a bottle. Take a teaspoonful before each meal. At night take another dose, drinking plenty of water.

Local druggist sees he fills it frequently for the best physicians.

**JOHN B. MARTIN WILL BE NAMED SAN FRANCISCO'S CHIEF OF POLICE**

This man will surely succeed Jesse B. Cook as Chief of Police. This is the news brought by returning political pilgrims from Paso Robles, where Mayor-elect McCarthy is resting after his successful campaign. Police Commissioners Swett and Samborski are to give way to Louis Blot and William V. MacNevin, just as soon as the new Mayor takes office. Commissioner Leggett may remain on the board, but Commissioner Cutler will have to go.

It has been asserted ever since election night that a full sweep will be made of the commission, the opinion now seems to be that Leggett will hold on, through the efforts of James H. Barry, who supported McCarthy.

**WHEELAN CANDIDATE.**

For awhile the friends of Richard J. Wheelan, former sheriff, believed he would receive the coveted appointment of chief of police.

Because of the lack of support, he was backed by the leaders of Campbell, Metson & Drew and had other substantial support, but the claims of McCarthy were the stronger, and to put a stop to any further pressure, the incoming mayor, Louis V. MacNevin, who received the support of the police board, will undoubtedly be in some way rewarded.

Tom Dillon, the latter, would like to be a member of the Police Board.

John F. Flanigan, who received eight Democratic votes for State Senator last winter, urging his claims.

**MARTIN'S RECORD.**

John Martin has served in the police department since August 25, 1884. He has been patrolman, corporal, sergeant, lieutenant, captain of the harbor police and captain of detectives. In all these positions he was considered a splendid police officer. He was in Chinatown during the tong war in which "Little Peter" was shot and nearly lost his life while assisting one of the bighanders.

William V. MacNevin is a member of the real estate firm of Landgrave, MacNevin & Jones. He is well known in commercial circles. During the municipal campaign he was a leading spirit in the McCarthy Business Men's Club and was credited about union labor headquarters with doing valiant political work.

Louis Blot is president of the Incorporated firm of Blot, Levinson & Co., wholesale commission merchants, 108-110 Washington street, and resides in the Victoria Hotel. He has never held a municipal office and was never active in politics until the last campaign, when he formed by Justice of the Peace F. C. Business Men's Club and was to some extent instrumental in increasing the membership of that body.

Chef Cook will go back to active duty as Sergeant of Police, but it is probable that he will soon seek retirement.

**CLAY IS NAMED FOR COMMANDER**

President of Chamber of Commerce Now Heads Annexationists

The Army of Consolidation was organized at the special meeting held by the Progress and Prosperity Committee of the Chamber of Commerce last evening with I. H. Clay as commander-in-chief and H. C. Capwell as chief of staff. The organization will be formed on lines similar to those that so successfully waged the campaigns for bonds and annexation, with a major for each of the seven wards and three for the outside districts.

There is to be a captain for each precinct and under them lieutenants and privates.

An auxiliary corps will be formed, officered by residents of Berkeley, Alameda, Emeryville and Ocean View, who are favorable to the consolidated city and county project.

It will be a campaign of education, in which the material and other advantages of consolidation will be set forth in literature and argument.

Considerable discussion arose among the members as to the best methods of forming the organization and the lines of its activity, which was partitioned in by Bernard P. Miller, E. G. Ryker, C. C. Craig, Thomas L. Gray, D. E. Perkins and B. Bull.

It was finally decided that I. H. Clay, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and commander-in-chief, together with H. C. Capwell, chief of staff, and H. S. Henton, chairman of the progress and prosperity committee, should appoint an adjutant-general, an executive staff of five members and an advisory board and a general staff of ten.

The manner and method of effecting consolidation was referred to City Attorney J. W. Stetson, who will give his legal opinion on the problem at the regular meeting Friday night.

**HAYWARD COUPLE ARE HONORED BY FRIENDS**

HAYWARD, Nov. 23.—At their home on Castro street Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Graham celebrated their twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. After partaking of an elaborate dinner, the guests assembled in the drawing-room, where a most enjoyable evening was spent at 500.

Among the many guests present were: Mrs. M. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rosenberg, Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clark, Mrs. M. Salter, Miss Anna Gray, Miss Leoma Smith and Miss Sophie Graham.

The following are the names of the prize winners at cards: Ladies' first prize, Mrs. James Gray, ladies' second prize, Mrs. L. R. Rosenberg; highest score, James H. Gray; consolation, E. J. Wager and Mrs. M. Salter.

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## BEGS FOR MEAL AND HAS \$700 IN BILLS IN INSIDE POCKET

LA CROSSE (Wis.), Nov. 23.—Taken to police headquarters after he had begged for a meal at the back door of a restaurant, a well dressed stranger giving the name of Albert Young, which the police believe is an alias, was found to have \$700 in bills in an inside pocket when searched.

The man had been loitering about the depot waiting room for two days and talked in a distract-  
ed manner to the police.

The police believe the man is a resident of Waukegan, possibly of considerable prominence, and that he has not returned from home while he has been here. He is being held pending an investigation.

## RECOVERY OF JEWELS IS ANNOUNCED BY WIRELESS

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Soon after Mrs. John C. Groves of Kansas City had sailed for Europe, a bag containing more than \$10,000 worth of jewels was found in the room she had occupied at the St. Regis hotel. Mrs. Groves was so informed by wireless, and she promptly instructed the St. Regis management to forward the jewels to Mrs. Ferrell at the Vendome hotel, Boston. This was done and a few days ago, when the Vendome management informed the St. Regis that no one had called for the valuable package, the jewels were sent back to this city and now the St. Regis is trying to find Mrs. Groves.

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## DIME NOVELS CAUSE WEALTHY YOUTH TO BECOME A BURGLAR

WALLA WALLA (Wash.), Nov. 23.—Systematic looting of thirteen business houses of Walla Walla within the past thirty days of goods valued at approximately \$5000 was brought to an end yesterday by the arrest and subsequent concession of Frank Stahl, 15 years old, son of Mrs. Frank Stahl, a wealthy and prominent widow of this city.

Stahl is held in custody by the city authorities. His mother having refused to furnish bail.

His arrest followed the finding of his watch fob lying on the floor of one of the stores he entered two weeks ago. Stahl was shadowed by the police and caught early Monday morning in the act of robbing a hardware store.

Reading of sensational ten-cent novels, the boy says, first put the idea of becoming a burglar into his mind. "I did not want the things so bad, but it was exciting," he said.

Stahl will receive \$21,000 from his grandmother's estate upon reaching his majority.

## DIVORCEE PRAYS AT HIS BEDSIDE

GIVEN DECREE TWO WEEKS AGO, WIFE YEARNs FOR WOULD-BE SUICIDE'S RECOVERY

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Praying that her husband will recover and shed tears of gratitude for the coming of the cloud which may be the means of bringing them together again in one happy, contented little family, Mrs. Bertha Gilcrest sits beside the cot of her husband, Arthur Gilcrest, at St. Mary's Hospital, watching for every symptom of improvement in his condition.

She trusts that the despondency and desolation which caused him to send a bullet through his skull yesterday will be the means of brightening both their lives if only he can recover.

Ever since, in the depths of despair, Gilcrest shot himself in the offices of his automobile company at 438 Golden Gate avenue, yesterday, and the bullet mercifully failed to reach the brain, his divorced wife has been his constant attendant. Her presence near him seems to add his strength and the doctors who are watching over him believe that he has a good chance for recovery. While the bullet dislodged a piece of bone in the skull, the fracture may not be a serious one, and as the stricken man is bony up wonderfully the situation is of the brightest.

Mrs. Gilcrest received her divorce only two weeks ago and in the event that her spouse recovers it seems evident that the decree will be set aside and the couple and their two children united once more.

## DYING PRISONER MAY BE SET AT LIBERTY

STOCKTON, Nov. 23.—Tuberculosis is engaged in a race against the hangman for the life of Mrs. Emma Le Doux, who almost four years ago was convicted of killing A. N. McVicar and placing his body in a trunk in a local lodging house. Yesterday she was brought out of the county jail for the first time since she was sentenced, and she was so weak that it was with difficulty she managed to walk the two blocks to the courthouse and return.

The murderer was pale and has wasted to a mere shadow of her former self. Twice she almost fainted, and her attorney, Charles H. Fairall of San Francisco, has asked that the court and district attorney have a board of physicians examine the woman so that her exact condition can be properly brought to the attention of the court.

Her second trial was set for February 2, but it is very doubtful if she will ever be tried, as it is more than likely that the case will be dismissed in a few days. She has been in jail over four years, and as far as important witnesses are missing it is very doubtful if she could be convicted, even if the county was put to a heavy expense for the second trial.

"A Hair's Breadth Escape," Do you know that every time you have a cough, cold and fever run on, thinking it will cure itself? It is not, inviting pulmonary consumption or some other pulmonary trouble? Don't risk it. Put your lungs back in perfect health and stop that cough with Ballard's Honeydew Syrup. Sold by W. Sharpe's Drug Store, 20th and Market Streets. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.

Mrs. Louis Pitts, 428 Octavia St., San Francisco, started life 18 years ago in poverty. Pitts started life on the road to health. I was treated by four doctors and took other kidney remedies, but grew worse, and was unable to do my housework, and the doctors told me I only could live a few days. I then turned to Dr. Pitts, who much better, that I do all my own work, and I shall be very glad to tell any one afflicted with kidney or bladder trouble. For a Kidney Disease, Pitts' Remedy today, and be well. Do not risk having Bright's Disease or Diabetes. Sold by W. Sharpe's Drug Store, Cor. 10th and Washington.

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## BOY HERO RUNS DOWN BURGLAR

Messenger Awakened by Thief Chases Him Down Street in His Pajamas

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Alfred Freitas, the little Hall of Justice messenger boy, who has been a familiar figure among police court attaches for several years past, proved himself a hero this morning when he boldly grappled with a desperate burglar, who entered his room in the hotel at 74 Turk street with him asleep, and stole his watch with \$5 in cash.

The lad was suddenly awakened at 8 o'clock to find the man going through his clothing, and jumping up, grappled with him. The intruder, however, got away with his loot, but pursued, and when the street was reached the boy, still in his pajamas, had overhauled his man, and a shout for help brought Policeman Thomas O'Connell to the scene.

The burglar gave the name of John Williams, who is booked at the city prison. He pleaded poverty as the reason for the act.

Freitas is 19 years old, but looks much younger, and achieved some prominence two years ago by starting an independent messenger service of his own.

JAPANESE BARON TAKEN DOWN WITH ASTHMA

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Nov. 23.—Baron Etsuji Shibusawa, who heads the party of Japanese coming to America to buy land and who is reported to have been taken ill in San Diego yesterday, was improved when the special train bearing the party reached here. The baron has been suffering from an attack of asthma which he contracted in the high altitude of the continental divide on the trip West.

The party, after being shown over the valley and visiting the great orange and lemon groves proceeded to San Bernardino and Redlands, where they will remain for the Grand Canyon, where they are due to arrive at noon tomorrow. They are due at Oakland at 9:05 a.m. November 26.

MRS. STETSON RESIGNS BUT STAYS WITH FAITH

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, who has been in seclusion since her excommunication by the mother church of the Christian Scientists in Boston, announced tonight that she has resigned from the membership of First Church of Christ, Scientist, of New York, of which she was formerly reader.

In her statement Mrs. Stetson says she will continue to make it her sole effort to "obey principles and to follow our beloved leader, Mary Baker Eddy."

She closer her statement with a plea that the church here must be united in harmony and devotedly follow "our beloved leader's voice."

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## Bestyette Storm Capes For Misses and Children

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# OAKLAND TRIBUNE EDITORIAL PAGE

W. E. DARGIE  
President

## A Hero of the Sea.

The days of heroic deeds are not passed and gone, nor are all heroes dead. It needs but the circumstance and the condition to prove their existence. The Cherry, Illinois, colliery catastrophe brought out several heroes conspicuously to the front, some of whom gave up their lives in order to save others.

The burning of the coasting passenger steamer St. Croix, off Point Dume, Los Angeles county, demonstrated that Captain Frederick Warner, her master, is made of the stuff which constitutes the true hero. When passengers and crew were on the verge of panic, Warner kept his head and with a full realization of the gravity of the situation promptly directed the transfer of the precious lives in his charge from the burning ship to the life boats, remaining on the doomed ship until he had personally ascertained that every soul abroad had been safely transferred. Never for a moment, according to the statement of his grateful passengers, did he lose his head, issue a wrong order or permit an infraction of discipline, although on several occasions he was compelled to enforce authority with threats to use the weapon which he had thoughtfully hung to his hip, among them being his own brother, the third officer.

In all of the trying experience, not a thing was overlooked in the disembarkation which would assure the safety of every person aboard, even to the care of the helpless infants among the passengers, the sustaining of whose existence depended upon a ten-gallon can of milk which he ordered passed into the boats. The transfer was made so timely that the boats had barely cleared the burning wreck when the ship's oil tanks exploded. The landing on an exposed beach was accomplished under his direction without the capsizing of any of the boats. With the same perfect mastery of the situation he provided for the comfort and care of the shipwrecked passengers and crew after the landing was made.

Warner was one of the severest critics of the master of the New York excursion boat Slocum, whose incompetency in the handling of the burning craft, resulted in the death of hundreds of helpless women and children. The history of the Colorado river canyon is replete with such tragedies, and it is remarkable that, at this late day, when there is no necessity for the taking of such risk, a party of intelligent individuals, headed by the president of the Central National Bank of Columbus, Ohio, should venture on the passage of the Grand, Marble and Cataract canyons of the turbulent and erratic Colorado river, from Green river, Utah, to the Needles, near the Arizona border, in this State, a distance of 1300 miles, in an open boat.

The undertaking was a desperate defiance of fate for the sake of notoriety, and it is in the nature of a miracle that thefeat should have been accomplished in safety. But such has happened, and the party came through with two thousand photographs obtained on the trip.

That the party came through in safety was simply luck, not the result of skill, of which fact they had proof on the way, when they passed the wreckage of a party preceding them who had come to grief and paid the penalty of their rashness with the sacrifice of their lives.

Those who undertake such risky voyages for the sole gratification of a foolish ambition are not entitled to any credit for their achievement, for it could not have been accomplished by any display of skill, but was simply the result of fools' good fortune. There is no reasonable excuse for anyone undertaking such an insanely risky trip in these times when safe, modern means of land transportation are available.

Having discovered itself, Oakland intends to utilize its opportunities henceforth to the fullest extent and forge ahead.

The high price of wheat and the timely and favorable early rains this season have induced the tillage of large areas of land in the Sacramento Valley which has been idle for ten years, for the purpose of planting it in grain. Vast tracts in the valley that have been unrented for a decade, owing to the low price of wheat, are being leased and plowed this year for the raising of a wheat crop, for it is a great many years since the prospects for good results from such a venture were as promising as they are at the present time with a favorable season opening and a profitable market in sight.

Even Niles promises to profit from the expansion of Oakland through the annexation election by an extension there of the Oakland Tractation Company's line early next year from Hayward.

Chester H. Rowell of the Fresno Republican was elected president of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, which is holding a combination of revival and experience meeting at the Hotel Metropole. This is the first time Editor Rowell has been elected anything. Usually his envious fellow citizens mob the polls in a frantic rush to vote against him. However, it appears that no one else would take the job.

The Yee and On Lick tong feud is spreading all over the State, and the police authorities, through some peculiar and unexplained reason, are apparently powerless to suppress it. Evidently there is a screw loose somewhere.

One of the first practical fruits of the beneficial effects of annexation is the closing of a deal for a block of land fronting on Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Campbell streets in West Oakland to be used as the Pacific Coast warehouse of the National Incandescent Light Company. Other large concerns are sure to follow by securing favorable locations for similar purposes near Oakland's water front.

## Fool's Luck in Risky Venture.

It is rashness to the extreme for anyone to attempt to run in open boats the rapids and the canyons through which the main streams on the Pacific Coast flow; but the venturesome, who hold life lightly and openly defy death, will run the risk for the notoriety it gives them in the event of success. In the days of pioneering on these streams there was some excuse for such rashness, as the stream provided the quickest means of reaching the coast and civilized settlements, and, when the winter was approaching, the only avenue in which there was a hope of success, although forlorn at best. Take for example in the early days of gold mining in the Cairbo district of British Columbia, hundreds of miners who delayed departure from the mountains to spend the winter at Victoria and San Francisco until a time when the trails had virtually become impassable, took the chances of making the trip to Fort Yale from Quesnelle mouth with their treasure in open boats down the turbulent and treacherous reaches and canyons of the Fraser river, lost everything they possessed, their lives included, in the effort, only a small percentage of the boats embarking on the perilous trip coming through the big canyon of the river, south of Fort Lytton, in safety. The wreckage of the boats of the majority and their dead bodies were all that emerged into the still waters of the Lower Fraser to tell the story of the tragedy that had occurred in the canyon.

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## Mr. Hearst Thinks a Fight Against a Free Press Is a Fight Against the People

(FROM THE NEW YORK AMERICAN.)

To John Temple Graves, Editor New York American:

The sentence of imprisonment against Carlo de Fornero for alleged libel

upon a non-resident, and the unfinished suits of the government against Mr.

Pulitzer of the New York World involve principles and issues that should be

seriously understood.

Imprisonment for criminal libel is a relic of the dark ages, when gov-

ernments and courts desired the ages to be dark, and sought to inflict im-

prisonment upon those who were endeavoring to make them light.

Furthermore, imprisonment for an actual offense, where the offense is

not of a character which requires the offender to be incarcerated for the

public safety, is a relic of the dark ages, and should be eliminated from mod-

ern penalties, as imprisonment for debt and less majeste have been elimi-

nated.

Along with imprisonment for libel—that is to say, for some mistake or

misstatement of fact in what may be, on the whole, a commendable crusade

—should go imprisonment for contempt of court. Both are medieval.

Take such cases as the Gompers sentence!

How outrageous that this man should be sent to jail, deprived of his

freedom and of the other rights the constitution gives him, because his

prints in his paper something that some judge does not think he ought to

print!

Are the government and the courts to edit the newspapers of the coun-

try and deprive all refractory sub-editors of their liberty?

What becomes of our free press under such conditions?

If a publication prints an article which misrepresents or damages any

individual, justice would be subserved if the individual should receive from

the newspaper money damages as proper compensation for the injury he

has undergone.

When an editor or writer is jailed by the government and the courts,

no individual receives proper compensatory damages for a possible injury,

but an enormous and outrageous inquisitorial power is given to the courts

and the government to persecute the press of the country and to repress such

acts and such opinions as the government may consider objectionable.

Therefore the fight against the freedom of the press is not a fight against

the newspapers, but a fight against the people.

There is no newspaper but could succeed better from a merely mate-

rial standpoint if it did not make fights for progress and reform.

There is no newspaper that could not gain more in a sordid way by

shutting its eyes to corruption or winking at corporate aggression.

There is no newspaper which could not enjoy an easier and more fa-

vored career if it would consent to tolerate the usurpations of government

and to permit the rights of the people to be invaded.

Newspapers fight—they give blows and receive blows in the interest

of the people whom they serve.

It is to protect the rights and liberties of the people that newspapers

attack privileges, expose corruption and assail misgovernment.

That the newspaper should be assessed in damages for the proper com-

peted. That it should be injured in its income and its progress by the

wealthy and powerful influences that it opposes is but reasonable and nat-

ural.

That the newspaper should be assessed in damages for the proper com-

petence of any individual that it may have injured in its crusade is only

just.

But that newspaper men fighting for the people should be traitorously

attacked in the rear and should be subject to imprisonment by the courts and

the government supposed to represent the people is outrageous and intol-

erable.

Furthermore and finally, to deprive any citizen of his liberty, except

when his liberty is a menace to citizenship, is unenlightened and un-American

and unworthy of our modern era.

Such methods belong to the dark ages, when privilege and violence

ruled the world and manacled all independent thought and entombed in dun-

geons all who attacked established wrongs.

The people have won, with great labor and suffering, the right to free

speech and a free press. Let them be alert to maintain those rights, and

let them count as public enemies all who would destroy those rights.

For these are the foundations upon which the whole temple of liberty

rests.

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST.

## Favors Southern California Senator

Governor Gillett has taken a stand on the election of a senator to succeed Flint that will commend him to the people of Southern California. He recognizes the claims of this section to one of the two senators and in an interview in the Los Angeles Examiner he says:

"Southern California is entitled to one of the State's two United States

senators, and I shall never consent to becoming a candidate for that office in

the year when it should fall to the South.

"The term of Senator Flint expires a year from next March, and when the time arrives to fill that vacancy, whether Flint shall be returned or some other man chosen, my contention is that it is for the people of the South to say and that it is the right of Southern California to name one of its own sons for the office. If I ever become a candidate for the senatorship it will not be when my election would leave Southern California without representation in the senate by a man from the South.

"Your interests are great and diverse. The fruit industry and the tariff's relations to it, your harbor and commercial and financial interests are best understood by a man from the southern part of the State, and it is only just that Southern California shall have constantly in the senate a Southern Californian to protect those interests.

"That has always been my contention, and when I was in the legislature I voted accordingly. I supported Fulla first and later Bard, voting against my own friends from the North because the South was entitled to the office."

Riverside Press.

## FOOTBALL — Its Perils and Reform Needs

"The real reform lies with the fathers and mothers of the boys who are going to school and college. Their prohibition of participation in football as it is now played will settle the question definitely.

There is no lack of argument to show the reason for such a course. There is no lack of demonstrations of the deadly danger involved in every game that is played under the present rules. Every year contributes its fresh proof that every boy who engages in a football game does so at the hazard of his life." —Washington Star.

"All that fairly remains of the question is whether the percentage of serious danger, as shown from the records, is large enough to warrant outside interference against the will of players and spectators. The evidence so far presented does not seem to warrant the forcible elimination of football." —New Haven Register.

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Ladies' Winter Weight Merino Vests and Drawers—In white or gray, containing 60 per cent wool a garment particularly adapted to this climate. \$1.00 Each  
Ladies' Light Weight Merino Vests and Drawers—Vests made either long or short sleeves 80 per cent wool an excellent all the year round garment. \$1.25 Each  
Ladies' Silk and Wool—one of the "Mérode" leaders—Vests and Pants \$1.25 Each

Other grades of Vests and Pants, per garment. \$1.50, \$1.75  
Ladies' Cotton Union Suits—Made of the best maco yarn, suitable for summer or early fall, long or short sleeves, knee or ankle length. \$1.10 Suit  
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Ladies' Light Weight Merino Union Suits—Containing 50 per cent wool, one of our strong leaders. \$1.50 Suit  
Ladies' Heavy Weight Merino Union Suits—White or gray, containing about 50 per cent wool, a cold weather special. \$1.75 Suit  
Ladies' Merino Union Suits—White or gray, in medium weight 75 per cent wool, made only in high neck, long sleeves, the year round garment. \$2.00 Suit  
This store will be closed all days Thursday, Thanksgiving Day

## WESTERN PACIFIC OFFICIALS NAMED

Well Known Railroad Men Selected for Appointments by Gould Line

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Tom Schumacher, first vice-president of the Western Pacific, in charge of traffic, arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, accompanied by an announcement of other appointments in the executive offices of the Gould system west of Denver.

C. H. Ketcham, formerly with the Delaware, Lackawana & Western, has been given the position of superintendent of the western division, with control of the marine department.

R. M. Ogilvie has come from the Burlington Route to fill the office of superintendent of the eastern division, and Matt Sawyer, formerly with the Pacific coast extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, will be the trainmaster of the western division of the Western Pacific.

The new superintendent and Sawyer are already hard at work on the arrangements for the opening of the Western Pacific to freight traffic.

**POLICIES STILL IN ABEYANCE.**

With reference to the policy of the Gould line in traffic matters, Vice-President Schumacher states that he is not yet ready to make any announcement. When the Western Pacific was first projected the intention was to make the line, in connection with the Denver & Rio Grande, a western connection for various other lines which were without Pacific terminals, and dependent upon the Southern Pacific for traffic arrangements of San Francisco bay freight.

When Schumacher was asked if this was to be the policy of the new line he admitted in a tentative sort of way that the original plan might be adopted, but added that this was another of the subjects which he would rather not positively discuss at present.

Other appointments announced by the Western Pacific are as follows: O. Mead, formerly trainmaster of the Santa Fe at San Bernardino, chief dispatcher; C. M. Standbury, formerly with the Southern Pacific at Liko, Nevada, master mechanic at that point; E. W. Mason, superintendent of telegraph, with headquarters at San Francisco.

### GRUSOME PACKAGE IS SENT COLORADO JURIST

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Nov. 23.—Justice of the Peace A. P. Toombs yesterday received two pieces of human flesh through the mails. Accompanying them was a note explaining that they had been taken from a smallpox patient, the writer expressing the wish that the judge might catch the disease and die.

The county physician and the city chemist both examined the grimy contents of the letter and pronounced them human flesh. There is no way, they declare, that it can be told whether the flesh contains contagion until some animal is inoculated. This will be done.

In the meantime Judge Toombs has reported the matter to the federal authorities for investigation, and a member of the city detective department has been assigned to work out the mystery.

Judge Toombs is unaware of the existence of any enemy, unless it be some one upon whom he has inflicted punishment in his official capacity.

### UNIVERSITY OBTAINS OLDEST PIECE OF IRON

The oldest piece of iron in the world is on exhibition at the University of Pennsylvania as the result of the Third Eckley B. Cox Jr. Expedition. The story of the finding of this ancient relic, as well as a history of the iron mining and smelting industry with accompanying date, is told by Dr. David Randall-Mather, curator of the Egyptian section of the archaeological museum of the University.

It is believed that these deer are apparently so plentiful in the vicinity of Sault Ste. Marie that they are shooting them within the limits of the city. A number have been bagged at the "shallows" this season, three of them during the course of one afternoon. Many others have been seen in the neighborhood.

It is believed that these deer come from Canada. The fact that the game was being hunted with dogs across the bordering on picnic by a mysterious band of Indians.

The men were working half a mile from the mine opening and made a frantic dash to reach the surface.

They were hoisted to the surface and a hurried investigation was made to find the spot where the deer had been heard a gang of well-drillers was at work.

The miners then returned to their tunnel and resumed their digging.

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## Holiday Wearables for Men



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Such gifts as these are especially appreciated since they are staple styles that can be worn with the same assurance of good taste after the holidays as now.

### White Plaited Shirts

A great quantity of men's white plaited shirts in all sizes from 14 to 17, made in coat style, with cuffs attached. Bosoms have wide plaited, laundered ready for wear. \$1.00.

Another lot of shirts similar in style, except that the bosoms are plaited with smaller tucklike plait. \$1.00.

### Black Silk Neckties

Four-in-hand ties in two styles—the wide ties, popular at all times, as well as the narrow styles to be worn with close fitting collars; ready tied bows, bat wing and tuxedo ties; as well as hand tecks; 25¢.

Ties similar in style, but made of a better quality silk. 50¢.

### MYSTERIOUS POUNDINGS CAUSE PANIC IN MINE

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 23.—Working in the lower depths of the Tipple mine, near Shelburn, a group of miners were thrown into a state bordering on panic by a mysterious pounding directly over their heads.

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### WILLIAM J. GAYNOR FOR PRESIDENT IN 1912

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—When William J. Conner, chairman of the New York State Democratic committee, was asked if he was advocating the candidacy of Mayor William J. Gaynor for Governor, he replied: "William J. Gaynor is one of the biggest men, if not the biggest man, in the country. He is big enough to be President, and I shall be surprised if he is not the Democratic nominee in 1912."

## H-O The Nation's Breakfast

The great American Nation is representative of every country on the globe; consequently there is a variety of tastes and preferences; but everywhere you will find that the universal breakfast dish is Oatmeal porridge.

But when you ask for oatmeal—be sure to specify "H-O"—the only steamed-cooked oatmeal.

Breakfast is the prelude to the day, and you want a food—apetizing, tempting and nourishing—to put you on your mettle to cope with the strenuous emergencies. H-O oatmeal supplies muscle-making and brain-building material. It is a concentrated oat product, complete in nutriment.

If your health is below par and your digestion faulty, eat H-O oatmeal and increase your health dividends.

A dainty dish for the breakfast table!

Do not confuse H-O oatmeal with the ordinary raw oats sold under the name of "Rolled Oats" or "Crushed Oats." H-O oatmeal is never sold in bulk; it is free from dirt, germs and all impurities.

H-O oatmeal is manufactured from the highest grade of selected stock. After removing all foreign matter, the meat of the oat is subjected to a very high temperature, and by our own patented process is cooked for several hours under heavy steam pressure. This steam-cooking denatures the starch and renders the oats easily digestible.

H-O oatmeal is ready for the breakfast table after from ten to fifteen minutes' boiling, and provides an inviting dish of sweet, clean, separate, tender kernels in place of sticky, soggy, indigestible mass obtained in cooking the usual "Rolled Oats."

Possibly the "other" kind may be cheaper; but as soon as you have tasted and appreciated the quality of H-O oatmeal, you will gladly pay the few cents difference.

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## HEART--TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN--HOME



MISS ARLINE JOHNSON, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce Johnson and fiancee of George Stark Townsend, was the complimented guest at a large bridge party hosted to day at the Claremont Country Club by Miss Winifred Braden. This is probably the last large affair of which Miss Johnson is the inspiration before her marriage, December 8.

Miss Braden's guests today were:

Miss Arline Johnson, Miss Hayden, Miss Madeline Clark, Mrs. C. de Fremery, Mrs. Charles T. Hutchinson, Miss Florence Adams, Miss Evelyn Ellis, Mrs. Charles Parsons, Mrs. Paul Borden, Mrs. John Valentine, Mrs. Kenneth Lowden, Miss Harris Ralston, Mrs. Hiram Hall, Mrs. William Thornton White.

LUNCHEON HOSTESS.

Mrs. F. E. Cornish was a hostess of today, entertaining twelve guests at luncheon at the Piedmont Park clubhouse.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB.

The members of one of the Thursday bridge clubs will entertain their respective husbands this evening at an elaborate dinner to be given at the Piedmont Park clubhouse. The dinner will be followed by cards and dancing.

The guests will be the following:

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Myers, Mrs. W. C. Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Upright, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lesser, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lesser, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simon, Mr. and Mrs. L. George Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz.

FOR SOUTHERN GUEST.

In honor of Mrs. Will A. Jenkins of Los Angeles who is spending several weeks here as the guest of Mrs. W. C. Ellingswood of Berkeley, Mrs. F. E. Adams entertained this afternoon at five hundred.

The session at cards was followed by a dainty supper. The home was prettily decorated in Christmas berries, red bows and pepper bouquets.

Mrs. Jenkins was gowned in white



MISS VERA CAMPBELL, Who Gave a Song Recital at the Home of Mrs. Cushman.

—Cuthbert Photo

lace over white crepe and Mrs. Adams in gray silk with trimmings of pale blue.

The guests were:

Mrs. William A. Yocom, Mrs. Frank R. Cushman, Mrs. George W. Hamilton, Mrs. T. J. Perkins, Mrs. Jack W. Mathews, Mrs. Clifford C. Ellingswood, Mrs. William C. Cosby, Mrs. Wallace A. Miss O. Lehnhardt, Beaston.

SONG RECITAL.

Under the patronage of Mrs. Olive Reed Cushman, Miss Vera Campbell, soprano, assisted by Miss Sydney Miller, violinist, and Mrs. Joseph H. Cote and Mrs. Vera W. Hunter, pianists, gave a most delightful program of music at Mrs. Cushman's home on Elbert street.

The numbers were as follows:

Swiss Song ..... Earl Eckert Chanson Provençale ..... L. Dell Arguay Violin, Legende ..... Wlenlawski Miss Miller

Mrs. Hunter, Accompanist

(a) Du bist wie eine Blume ..... Rubinstein (b) Deserter ..... MacDowell (c) Stolen Wings ..... Wilby Piano, (a) To a Wild Rose, (b) At an Old Trysting Place, (c) From an Indian Lodge ..... MacDowell Miss Coto

Robert que j'aime ..... Meyerbeer Violin, (a) Salute d'Amour ..... Edgar Oberst, (b) ..... Wieniawski Miss Miller

Spring (Waltz Song) ..... Leo Stern

RED CROSS STAMPS.

The local women's clubs are avowing an active interest in the sale of Red Cross Christmas stamps, the funds to accrue to the Red Cross society and the Ahmeda County Anti-Tuberculosis League.

The stamps are placed on sale in the various clubs, each of which has a committee to supervise the sales.

Among the Oakland workers are Mrs. Eva Powell, president of Fbell Mrs. Edward von Adelung, Mrs. Leon Hall, Mrs. John Bakewell, Mrs. Charles J. Woodbury and a score of others.

BRIDE-ELECT ENTERTAINED.

Numerous affairs are being planned for Miss Eleanor Lillian Garrigue, the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Garrigue, who has chosen December 16 as the date of her wedding to Michael Francis Gallagher of Chicago.

December 6, Mr. and Mrs. Garrigue will entertain at five hundred, asking their friends to their home on Prince street, Berkeley, to meet Mrs. Charles H. Randle and Mrs. William White Forrester, who have come on from Chicago to attend the wedding, Mrs. Forrester as matron of honor.

QUEST FROM EAST.

Miss Lea Morrison arrived from the east last evening to be the guest of Mrs. June Schloss of Killegross avenue, Berkeley.

In honor of Miss Morrison several guests will be formally entertained at the Schloss home this evening. Miss Morrison is a former student at the University and has many friends in the college town.

OUT OF TOWN GUEST.

Miss Ethel DuComen of Watsonville is the guest of Miss Vida Collins, who entertained Saturday evening at a card party in compliment to Miss DuComen and who is planning another affair for next week.

TO WED TOMORROW.

Miss Lydia Smith of Vernon street entertained recently for Miss Garrigue and two other brides-elect, Miss Eva Bruce, and Miss Helen Schriener. Miss Lydia of Los Gatos, who was Mrs. Smith's house guest, was also a complimented guest.

The marriage will take place at the residence of the bride, 2434 Milvia street, Berkeley.

The decorations were yellow, white and green with dainty hand-painted "brides"

## MILLIONAIRE'S SON Denies That Vision of Blue WAS HIS WIFE

### 'Never Saw Her Before' Insists Son of Millionaire Manufacturer of Worcester

NEW YORK.—She wanted to be an actress, did Mrs. Audrey Williams, and to help her in her ambition to dress the character she was playing with fitting gowns she gave the name of Mrs. Percival Whittall of Worcester, Mass., to inquiring tradesmen, and had the goods charged. Mr. Whittall is a millionaire carpet manufacturer of Worcester, Mass. A telegram was sent him by the tradesmen, asking him if he knew his wife. He replied, "Not that wife," and his son hurried to New York on the first train. Then followed the arrest of Mrs. Williams for attempted grand larceny.

The scene now shifts to Jefferson Market Police Court. The time is 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning. Holding herself sternly aloof from the crowd about her Mrs. Williams is discovered in the near perspective, sitting on a hard wooden bench—the "mourners" bench" the court officers call it.

#### A VISION IN BLUE.

As befits her situation, she is gowned entirely in blue. The skirt she wears is azure in hue, a belt of the same color is fastened about it at the waist, the three-quarter length coat is of the same color, and a veil twisted about the hat completes a fetching toilette.

As to the jewelry, there is a blue enamel pin in the center of which sparkles a small diamond sapphire ring adorns the fingers, and the general color scheme is blue, fretted with clouds of fleecy white.

Now comes O. K. Kash, a store detective, who looks the lady over with professional interest. He proceeds to identify by firm name the various articles that she wears. If he is to be believed, more than one department store had a hand in the stage furnishings. Enters modestly Percival Whittall of Worcester. He is escorted, guarded and protected by A. W. Cole Young Mr. Whittall glances curiously at the woman and sighs in relief.

"Too bad," remarks Mr. Whittall, as the complaint is prepared. "I missed the Dartmouth game at Cambridge today, and I had tickets."

The docket is now cleared of the "drunks," vagrants and the riff raff of a police court and the comedy, "Plucking Leaves From a Family Tree," is staged before Magistrate Burlow.

#### PRINCIPALS FACE EACH OTHER.

Appear the two principals confronting each other on the bridge before the court. "Don't you remember me?" questions the lady. The room waits in expectancy for the answer.

"I can't say that I do," answers Mr. Whittall.

"Didn't you meet me in Worcester?" pursues the woman.

"I don't recall meeting you in Worcester. I never met you before in all my life."

"Why, I met you in Worcester," the prisoner insists. "I was a book agent. I was selling books. Your father turned me over to you. He said the children bought all the books."

"My father turned me over to a book agent?" queries Mr. Whittall, incredul-

ously. Business here of merry laughter. "Absurd!" he exclaimed.

"I want an examination now," insists the lady. "Hints of an adjournment are heard."

"Without an attorney?" queries the court.

"Wouldn't I be just as well off without a lawyer?" she questions.

"Absolutely," answers the court.

The dry details of the woman's alleged offenses are recited. It is set forth that she obtained \$24 worth of goods from a Sixth avenue department store, and gave

### She Is Held on Larceny Charge--Sought Dresses So She Could Be an Actress

the name of Mrs. Perival Whittall. Mrs. Whittall is called to the stand again.

"Is this lady your wife?" questions the court.

"I never saw her before," he answers. "Don't you remember buying books from me?" the prisoner asks.

Again he says he does not remember.

"It wasn't under the name of Williams that I sold you books," she continues.

"If your father were here he'd remember me in a minute. I thought that Mr. Whittall would do anything to help me get on my feet."

The case then comes to an end, with

Mrs. Williams held in \$500 bail for examination.

She retires to the care of the matron and again insists, as she did Friday night, on having a bathrobe and an easy chair in her cell, and says she will yet be an actress.

Exit O. K. Kash, the store detective, triumphantly.

### One of the Brides of Note In Society of Washington



MRS. ORVILLE BRECKENRIDGE.

Mrs. Orville Breckenridge Brown is one of the brides and beauties of Washington society this season. Mrs. Brown was married the early part of this month and was one of the first of the season's brides in the national capital. The bride was Miss Mary Atchow West. She is the daughter of Henry L. West of the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

will be attired in an elaborate blue silk empire gown. The honeymoon will be spent at Del Monte.

MONDAY BRIDGE.

Mrs. J. Q. Brown will be the hostess of the Monday Bridge Club next Monday at her home on Walsworth avenue.

Among the players in the Monday Club are:

Mrs. McClure ..... Mrs. Lee Boccazzi Mrs. Frederick ..... Miss May Coogan Delecki ..... Miss Genevieve Chambers Miss Clarisse ..... Miss Jim Chase

Other guests registered at the hotel were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Seymour Hall and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wetmore.

DINNER AND CARDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyer will entertain Friday evening the members of a dinner and card club. The guests first partake of a dinner and conclude the evening with a session at cards.

The membership includes:

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson ..... Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hopkins Mr. and Mrs. H. D. and Mrs. G. W. Ushler Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Arden Mr. and Mrs. J. B. and Mrs. A. C. Dietz Mr. and Mrs. Krumb

THANKSGIVING REUNION.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland G. Brown will preside at a family dinner Thursday at their home on Jackson street.

The guests will be:

Mr. and Mrs. William Letts ..... Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts Mr. and Mrs. George Jensen ..... Mrs. Johnine Brown Mr. and Mrs. Harold and Leslie Oliver

FOR MISS SLATE.

Miss Helen Weston of Berkeley is to preside at a bridge party to be given at her home, Saturday evening, in compliment to Miss Elinor State, daughter of Professor and Mrs. Frederick State of Berkeley, whose marriage to Ernest Van Loben Sels will be an event of December 1.

TO ENTERTAIN CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Youngberg are planning to entertain Friday evening, next, at their home on Perry street.

Their guests will include one of the season's card clubs and will be as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph ..... Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrison Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. P. Hubbard

IN BOSTON.

Miss Edith Schulze and her mother, Mrs. Henry Schulze, are spending the early winter months in Boston having closed for a time their East Oakland home.

GUEST OF MOTHER.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thornton White will be guests of Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Frank Lampson Brown, for several weeks pending the completion of the handsome home which is being built for them, adjoining the Brown home, in Vernon Heights.

WINSTED, Conn. — "Please turn the knob. Don't blow the safe," appears on a card hanging on the safe in the post office in Winsted. Aged Jacob Winter, a veteran of the Volunteer Fire Brigade. The burglar on guard saw the ghostlike figure and fled.

Thinking they had been surrounded by a posse of villagers, they dashed from the store, discharging their revolvers, but none of the shots did any damage. The robbers escaped, two clad in new overcoats and suits. They first entered the hardware store of Henry Smith and stole tools with which they broke into the other places.

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**GORMAN TO STAY  
IN COUNTY JAIL**

Fifty Year Termer Gets Re-  
spite Through District Court  
of Appeals

**BAN FRANCISCO**, Nov. 28.—Frank  
Gorman, the daring robber, who, while  
robbing the Thompson Bridge Company,  
shot the proprietor, James Thompson,  
and was captured after a rapid fire of  
pistol shots in the streets of the down-  
town section, will remain indefinitely in  
the county jail as the result of a certi-  
ficate of probable cause issued to him  
by the district attorney. Appeals today.  
The condemned man is under a sentence of  
fifteen years in San Quentin penitentiary  
and Judge Cabaniss repeatedly refused  
to issue the certificate at the request of  
his counsel, Ernest Spagnoli.

Gorman believes that there is merit  
in the appeal which he has taken to the  
district court and on the earnest request  
of his attorney the certificate was granted  
by the higher tribunal and he will  
remain in the local jail until the court  
passes on his case.

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## TUBBS PAYS DUTY; TRUNKS RELEASED

Costly Garments Undervalued  
by Wife Are Finally  
Brought Home

**SAN FRANCISCO**, Nov. 23.—After a  
nine-months' tour of Europe, Mr. and  
Mrs. Alfred S. Tubbs have returned home  
from New York and are again domiciled  
in their residence at 2126 Broadway.  
Mrs. Tubbs' wonderful array of trunks  
are there, too, but every time the hus-  
band is reminded of them he also thinks  
of a stub in his bank book that shows an  
expenditure of \$2200. This, in turn, re-  
calls the ugly scenes he and his wife  
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# ZOOK'S LEGACY TO SCRIBNER IN CONTEST

Heirs of Deceased Cattle Man Take Action Through the Administrator

## DOUBTS EXPRESSED AS TO VALUE OF ESTATE

### Children Are Represented by Local Attorneys in the Fight

Marshal Scribner, proprietor of the Gado Hotel, is not to gain possession of the great legacy left to him by the late J. W. Zook without a struggle. Contest has been entered by A. P. Leach for and behalf of the children of the deceased Anna Kruger and Henry and Mabel Zook, who claim that their father's will was unduly influenced by Scribner.

In addition to the contest inaugurated by the children, there are other heirs living in Oregon, Missouri, who are represented by R. B. Bridgeman, an attorney at that place, who is to be allowed to claim to their share in the estate of the late cattle raising operator.

### CHILDREN'S FIGHT.

Attorney Leach petitions on behalf of the Public Administrator, who have been appealed to by the children of the deceased, to take action on their behalf.

Delebert and Stifteyer are the personal attorneys for the heirs, and it was at their investigation that the Public Administrator has taken a hand in the proceedings. Scribner has filed his petition for letters of administration on the estate, but Judge O'Brien postponed the hearing in this court until tomorrow, when the Public Administrator and the attorneys for the heirs will appear to make contest.

The estate is variously estimated at being worth from several hundred thousand dollars to a million. It consists of land and cattle in Mexico and mining stocks.

### SCRIBNER GETS HALF.

One half of it, according to the will, was bequeathed to Scribner at whose hotel Zook had resided for several years previous to his death.

A check of the will was found among the effects of the dead man, about which there exists considerable mystery.

It was sent in a letter to Zook, previous to his death from a party in San Francisco, as part payment on the purchase price of the dead man's cattle.

The signer of the check, it is said, cannot be found and as it is not in shape for presentation at the bank on account of the death of the payee, it is not known whether it is valid.

It is believed to exist in the real worth of the estate and there are some inclined to the belief that it is in the great part imaginary.

Zook is reported to have been a man of greater experience than the referee, and it is felt that Scribner wanted the children to defray the cost of probating it is an indication that he has not full faith in the great worth of his legacy.

### DEFENSE OBJECTS.

Attorney Leach contended that no such matter was gone into with De Lancy upon direct examination, and raised the further objection that the question as to the value of the estate, which was not in possession of the Public Administrator funds to that of his wife which he opened for her but had not opened an account for George Gray and placed the estate's funds in it.

He replied that he had no reason why he should have done this.

He also testified that he had not been authorized by Gray to open any bank account for him and the former Public Administrator was not in the city at the time he transferred the money into the account of the estate.

It is believed that he had this power.

He also testified that he had not been authorized to have received the money, but that there his direct examination stopped.

Attorney Leach said, however, that if the prosecution would specify any date upon which he had this Cook money in his possession the defense would withdraw its objection.

The assistant prosecutor then assumed direct examination.

At the time you made up the last statement that you took to the county treasurer when you made a deposit, you had the \$10,000 in the Cook estate in your possession.

De Lancy—I was charged with that amount in the Cook estate, but I had paid out a large sum of money in different estates for Gray—about \$4,000.

Hynes—Do I understand that you had the difference between the \$10,000 and the \$4,000 in your possession?

De Lancy—I can't say. I had a much larger sum of estates in the general ledger, but I can't say exactly how much more than that in my possession, but I can't say that it was George Hite Cook money.

### DE LANCY LEAVES STAND.

Assistant District Attorney Hynes produced the affidavit of De Lancy, made in the office of the county auditor, to the effect that he had only \$897.73 in his possession belonging to the estate of George Hite Cook, and asked witness if he swore to it.

The question was objected to on the ground that it was not proper cross-examination, but Hynes held that it was, in that witness' testimony had been to the effect that he had used the money for public administrator purposes and was in direct contradiction of the affidavits set out in the affidavit.

The defense contended that this position was wrong, that the bearing of the affidavit upon the alleged crime was a legal question for argument, a claim in support of the defense.

De Lancy—I was charged with that, but I should not be admitted as proper cross-examination.

Judge Brown here made a sweeping examination which excluded all cross-examination of the character and deportment of the question under objection, and thus brought the examination of De Lancy to an abrupt termination. Defendant left the witness stand at 11:30 o'clock.

At the request of the defense the prosecution admitted as a fact, and it was so stipulated, that there was no Superior Court order made specifically purposing the public administrator to turn the funds of the treasury into the county treasury.

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## \$1,000,000 IN ESCROW WITH HAGUE TRIBUNAL

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# DEFENSE FOR ATTORNEY DE LANCY IS CLOSED

## Assistant District Attorney Hynes Begins His Address to the Jury This Afternoon

Attorney John S. De Lancy left the witness stand before Judge Brown's court took its noon recess today, and this marked the beginning of the end of his trial for the alleged embezzlement of \$10,000 belonging to the estate of the late George Hite Cook. The defense introduced some minor testimony this afternoon to complete its case, and then Assistant District Attorney Hynes began the prosecution's opening argument to the jury. He will be followed by Attorney Frick and Attorney Chapman for the defense, in the order named, and then Assistant Attorney Donahue will make the closing argument for the state.

### ARGUMENTS TOMORROW.

Intellectuals are that of the arguments will be limited to the closing of the trial, but Thursday being Thanksgiving Day, it is questionable whether Judge Brown will instruct the jury and order it locked up before Friday morning.

Assistant District Attorney Hynes asked that a stipulation be made that the jurors will be allowed to spend the holiday with their families and friends before entering upon their deliberations over a verdict.

### DE LANCY ON STAND.

When court convened at 10 o'clock this forenoon Assistant District Attorney Hynes resumed the cross-examination of De Lancy by asking him if it was not a fact that when he made the demand upon George Gray for \$10,000 he had used the \$10,000 belonging to the George Hite Cook estate for the purpose of securing a bond from the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company in that amount.

### De Lancy—No.

Hynes—isn't it a fact the reason you wanted this money was not because you needed it to start again, but because you had used \$10,000 of the public administrator's funds to ready the bond?

De Lancy—No, that is not a fact.

Hynes—isn't it a fact that all the money you had on deposit in the Oakland Bank of Savings on the 30th day of August, 1908, was money belonging to George Gray as public administrator?

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Hynes—Isn't it a fact that the amount of your wife's bank account at the time of your wife's death was \$13,215?

De Lancy—No, that is not a fact.

The prosecution here attempted to go into the matter further but was prevented from doing so by the court upon the objection of the defense, on the ground that the questioner asked were not proper cross-examination, and the assistant prosecutor was compelled to abandon the subject.

### NO REASON FOR ACT.

The Lancy was asked why, when he had his own personal account with the Oakland Bank of Savings, he did not withdraw all of the Public Administrator funds to that of his wife which he opened for her but had not opened an account for George Gray and placed the estate's funds in it.

Hynes—But you have testified that Gray usually came to the office at least once a week—could you not have secured an authority the next time you saw him?

De Lancy—Yes, probably that is true, but I am not sure.

Hynes—Did you get Gray's permission to place the estate money in your wife's name?

De Lancy—No; why should I have had his permission?

On direct examination De Lancy was asked if he deposited the George Hite Cook certificate of deposit in the Oakland Bank of Savings the next morning after he had received it from the Cook estate, he said that he had not told the court upon what authority he had done this.

De Lancy—I was charged with that amount in the Cook estate, but I had paid out a large sum of money in different estates for Gray—about \$4,000.

Hynes—Do I understand that you had the difference between the \$10,000 and the \$4,000 in your possession?

De Lancy—I can't say. I had a much larger sum of estates in the general ledger, but I can't say exactly how much more than that in my possession, but I can't say that it was George Hite Cook money.

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# 'JOY RIDE' IN LOCOMOTIVE BRINGS MANY NEAR DEATH

Special Train Bearing President Truesdale  
Has Narrow Escape From Collision  
Near Mines

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 23.—A special train bearing President W. H. Truesdale of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad and other officials, had a narrow escape from being wrecked last night and brought to a new form of "joy riding" was brought to light. Thomas Teal of Kingston is accused of having taken a mine locomotive and a main track without permission and he was held under bail today on several charges.

Teal, according to his story, was drinking last night and calling at the Avordale colliery where the engine was stationed, represented himself as the master mechanic and claimed that the engine be prepared for a special run. He took the engine out on the main track at midnight and had a wild joy ride. The whistle of the Truesdale special, however, warned him of danger and by a quick dash he reached a switch and in time to avoid a collision with the official's train.

## ASTOR YACHT NOURMAHAL SAFE WITH ALL ON BOARD

Arrived at San Juan, P. R., on November 14  
and Was Still There at Last Tidings,  
on the 17th

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The steam yacht Nourmahal, with Col. John Jacob Astor on board, arrived at San Juan, P. R., from Mayaguez, on Sunday, November 14th, and was still there on the evening of November 17th. All were well on board and the Nourmahal was planning to leave soon for Ponce.

These tidings of the Nourmahal's safety were brought here by the Insular Line Steamer Harry Luckenbach, which arrived this afternoon from Porto Rican ports.

Captain Dalton of the Luckenbach, on his arrival at quarantine today, said it was reported to him in June that the Nourmahal was awaiting there for a friend of Colonel Astor, who was on his way from New York.

The news makes it positive that no harm came to the yacht in the storm earlier in the month.

The Nourmahal is by this time proceeding to Ponce, where she will have been reported had cable communication been re-established with that point.

SAN DOMINGO, Nov. 23.—The revenue cutter dictated a visit today to investigate the reported wreck between the Islands of Cattley and San Salvador. It was learned that the steamer was found.

It is believed that it will prove to be the wreck of the Nourmahal.

THE YACHT Nourmahal, owned by Col. John Jacob Astor, was safe with all on board.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Continued efforts to re-establish communication by wireless between the steam yacht Nourmahal, with her owner, John Jacob Astor, his son and a party of friends aboard,

## COMPROMISE APT TO BE EFFECTED

Franklin Street Property Owners May Accede to Overtures of Railroad

It is probable that a compromise between the Southern Pacific and the protestants on Franklin street against granting the railroad a franchise will be effected, and that the company will be permitted to use the great railway service instead of steam service.

Attorney Charles E. Snook, representing the protestants, stated this morning that the Southern Pacific law branch, through its San Francisco law branch, had made overtures for peace and that the likelihood of a compromise was good.

Attorney John J. Allen, who represents the Southern Pacific company locally, stated that there was a movement on foot to bring all parties together and instead of a legal battle there would be an amicable settlement.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—A large meeting was held in Reading at an altitude of 6,000 feet. Utah Copper rose 14¢. The price changes in the general list were mixed. The market was made up of a few sales, the last coming to a point in sales, under which prices fell violently to below yesterday's close. There was a heavy strength in the Gold and in the heavy Anagamite copper which took off again at 11 o'clock.

American Smelting and Anchorage, 10¢, and many prominent stocks were mixed.

The market was quiet, with a few sales, and the price of Anchorage and 13¢ Utah Copper. Stocks were weak.

Price of Iron and International Harvester fell 2 points. The feverish and violent fluctuations discouraged efforts to trade and the dealers were quiet.

The rise of an extra dividend on Central Railroad of New Jersey caused an active buy movement in Reading, which soon made its previous record. The market stocks were still hard.

Stocks of the stock market again, and some of the copper stocks rallied a point or more from their low points.

Railroad stocks were not very responsive, and Anchorage 10¢, American Car 2 points.

An attack on Reading drove it down to near the low point the price falling 2 1/2 points yesterday.

The market was quiet, and when the Pacific and Steel stocks were marked up the whole market did not move.

The market quite steady, although Reading's fluctuations were irregular.

Southern Pacific and Western Union rose 1¢ and Consolidated Gas 2.

Bonds were easy.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

The following quotations of prices of stocks in the New York Stock Exchange, furnished by the New York Stock Exchange with offices in the Mills Building and Bush streets, San Francisco:

High. Low. Prev. close. Bid. Ask.

Alpha ..... 6 10. Justic ..... 15

Alta ..... 10 10. Kentuck ..... 10

Andes ..... 18 18. Washin ..... 10

Andover ..... 10 10. Standard ..... 1.23 1.27

And. & Belcher ..... 12 67 1/2 Con ..... 4

Bullion ..... 25 25. General ..... 25

Caltonia ..... 35 37 1/2 Ph ..... 1.47

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Chandler ..... 23 23. Potoc ..... 45

Confidence ..... 60 60. Savage ..... 48

Con. Imperial ..... 3 3. Scovill ..... 9

Con. & Belcher ..... 12 67 1/2 Con ..... 4

Crown Point ..... 90 90. Sierra Nevada ..... 49 50

Escherich ..... 18 18. Silver Hill ..... 6 8

Escherich ..... 18 18. Union ..... 53

Hale & Nore ..... 30 41. Washin ..... 10

Julia ..... 70 70. Jackson ..... 90 100

TONOPAH ..... 70 70. Belmont ..... 70

Tonopah ..... 70 70. Newell ..... 11

MacNamara ..... 28 28. Jim Butler ..... 11

Gulf Consol. 7.5% Con. ..... 1

Sandstorm ..... 3 7/8 D B Con. ..... 2.00

Columbia Mt. ..... 13 14. 1/2 D B Con. ..... 2.00

Juniper Exten. ..... 13 14. 1/2 D B Con. ..... 2.00

North ..... 3 4. 1/2 D B Con. ..... 2.00

Oil Bend Ex. ..... 1 1/2 D B Con. ..... 2.00

Atlanta ..... 3 4. 1/2 D B Con. ..... 2.00

Black Rock ..... 3 4. 1/2 D B Con. ..... 2.00

Blue Bell ..... 8 8. Keweenaw ..... 5

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Oro ..... 12 12. Florence Ex. ..... 1

Great Bend ..... 2 2. Diam Triangle ..... 1

BULLFROG ..... 1 1/2 D B Con. ..... 2.00

Bonnie Clark ..... 12 12. Nugget ..... 1

Mayflower Con. ..... 12 12. Valley View ..... 1

McGowen Mt. ..... 28 28. RAWHIDE ..... 1

Coalition ..... 22 22. MANHATTAN ..... 1

Manhattan Con. 4Mineral Hill. ..... 6

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Round Mtn. ..... 65 65. EAGLES Nest. ..... 4

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## FURNISHED FLATS TO LET

ARTISTIC five-room flat; all turned oak furniture; near Key Route; low rent. \$100. Phone 4676.

ATTRACTIVE 3-room flat, elegantly furnished; modern; reasonable. See it. 1351 20th ave., cor. 15th.

A THREE and 4-room flat and bath; nicely furnished; adults.

The Motel, 638 8th st.

A MODERN flat, furnished; 6 rooms; reasonable. 932 Adeline st.

FOR 7 rooms, bath and laundry; in modern, completely furnished flat; adults only. 1148 Jackson st.

FINE, sunny upper flat of seven rooms; furnished. 642 24th st.; phone Oak 1419.

KREICKHOLD Court, 3-room upper open flat; sleeping porch; one block to cars; \$35. 497 Dover.

LOWER floor, three sunny rooms; bath, garage. 1397 Bonita ave., North Berkeley; price \$15.

NEW—Over 10 furnished; 7 rooms; near local electric, Charles school; \$30; heat every room. 1171 E. 17th st., near 23d ave.

NEATLY furnished flats; hot, cold water; water meter. Oak st. station. 170 8th st.; call all the week.

NICELY furnished lower flat of 4 rooms; two blocks from narrow gauge; rent reasonable. 308 14th st.

THREE large sunny rooms; nicely furnished. 462 Hawthorne, close to telephone. garage.

200—THREE-ROOM upper flat; furnished; including telephone, coal and gas stoves; 216 11th st.; 4 blocks east of Broadway; two blocks from narrow gauge; rent reasonable. \$100. Phone 2225.

200—SYCAMORE, near 22nd Key Route; 3 completely furnished, sunny, roomed flats; cottage, adults, price \$25.

## UNFURNISHED FLATS TO LET

A NICE sunny upper flat in desirable location; one minute walk to 5 different car lines into Oakland; five minutes' walk to local train; furniture. \$100. 1267 11th ave. Flat next door.

A-314, MODEEN, sunny flat, 4 rooms, bath; 20th st.; phone 225 Hollis Hall 14th st.; car line, near 34th, 34 block from Key Route.

A-FOE RENT—Modern flat, one block from Key Route station; 6 rooms; reasonable. 492 38th st.; near Telegraph ave.

A SUNNY 3-room flat, opposite Key Route at 40th. Phone Oakland 5892.

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FOR RENT—Beautiful sunny 4-room flat; up-to-date, new. 200 Brook st., near 30th and Broadway.

NEW 5-room lower flat near lake; sleeping porch; adults; reasonable. 7 Athol ave., E. Oakland.

SUNNY modern 6-room upper flat, convenient to both local; rent very reasonable. Box 1058. Tribune.

SUNNY 4-room up-to-date lower flat, 225 50th st.; phone Oakland 2211.

THREE or 4 unfurnished rooms; every convenience; 2 blocks Key Route; lower flat. 549 20th st.; phone Oakland 4122.

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